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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

10:00 — 41st plenary meeting [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal - Item 117 (h)

Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal - Item 117 (i)

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 15 November 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers

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Documents: A/73/203, A/73/203/Corr.1, A/73/422 and A/73/422/Corr.1

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

15:00 25th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 2

Follow-up to and implementation of the outcomes of the International Conferences on Financing for Development - Item 19

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/73/L.17 and A/C.2/73/L.42

Sustainable development - Item 20

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.13

Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development - Item 20 (a)

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.24/Rev.1

Follow-up to and implementation of the SIDS Accelerated Modalities of Action (SAMOA) Pathway and the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States - Item 20 (b)

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.27/Rev.1

Protection of global climate for present and future generations of humankind – Item 20 (d)

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/73/L.28 and A/C.2/73/L.43

Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa - Item 20 (e)

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/73/L.38 and A/C.2/73/L.44

Sustainable development: Convention on Biological Diversity - Item 20 (f)

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.33/Rev.1 and the amendments contained in document A/C.2/73/L.51

Sustainable development: Harmony with Nature - Item 20 (h)

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.39/Rev.1 and the amendments contained in document A/C.2/73/L.52

Combating sand and dust storms - Item 20 (j)

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/73/L.16 and A/C.2/73/L.45

Globalization and interdependence - Item 22 (a)

International migration and development - Item 22 (b)

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/73/L.26 and A/C.2/73/L.46

Information on the work of the Committee, as well as related documentation and side events, are available on its website.

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Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Documents: A/C.2/73/L.17, A/C.2/73/L.42, A/C.2/73/L.13, A/C.2/73/L.24/Rev.1, A/C.2/73/L.27/Rev.1, A/C.2/73/L.28, A/C.2/73/L.43, A/C.2/73/L.38, A/C.2/73/L.44, A/C.2/73/L.33/Rev.1, A/C.2/73/L.51, A/C.2/73/L.39/Rev.1, A/C.2/73/L.52, A/C.2/73/L.16, A/C.2/73/L.45, A/C.2/73/L.26 and A/C.2/73/L.46

Links: Website, Documentation, Side Events, e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 18th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 3

Programme budget for the biennium 2018–2019 - Item 136

Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council

Thematic cluster I: Special and personal envoys, advisers and representatives of the Secretary-General

Thematic cluster II: sanctions monitoring teams, groups and panels, and other entities and mechanisms

Revised estimates relating to the resident coordinator system under section 1, Overall policy making, direction and coordination

Report on the use of the commitment authority and request for a subvention to the Residual Special Court for Sierra Leone

Introduction and general discussion

Documents: A/73/352/Add.1, A/73/352/Add.2, A/73/352/Add.2/Corr.1, A/73/498/Add.1, A/73/498/Add.2, A/73/424, A/73/579, A/73/379, A/73/379/Corr.1 and A/73/580

Followed by – 13:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5

Programme budget for the biennium 2018–2019 - Item 136

Revised estimates relating to the resident coordinator system under section 1, Overall policy making, direction and coordination

Documents: A/73/424 and A/73/579

Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 10

Executive meeting

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

10:00 – 13:00 393rd meeting [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

The meeting will be held at the ambassadorial level.

For inquiries, please contact the Division for Palestinian Rights, Department of Political Affairs.

Messages will be published on the website of the Committee.

Link: Website

Contact: Fabrizio Trezza (trezza@un.org, 212-963-4134)

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Forty-eighth session

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf until Friday, 30 November 2018, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)

10:00 – 13:00 Working Group I (closed) Conference Room 7

2018 Annual review of implementation of resolution 1540 (2004)

Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011)

15:00 Closed — Conference Room 7

Monitoring Team trip report

Other matters

Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities

Followed by – 18:00 Closed meeting — Conference Room 7

Monitoring Team trip report

Review of 1267 Committee pending matters (Holds List)

Other matters

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

29 November 2018

15:00 42nd plenary meeting [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

Question of Palestine - Item 39

The situation in the Middle East - Item 38

Documents:

A/73/35, A/73/346, A/73/201, A/73/L.31, A/73/L.32, A/73/L.33, A/73/L.34, A/73/322, A/73/L.29 and A/73/L.30

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3 December 2018

10:00 43rd plenary meeting [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

Sport for development and peace - Item 12

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields - Item 14

Investigation into the conditions and circumstances resulting in the tragic death of Dag Hammarskjöld and of the members of the party accompanying him - Item 131

Documents: A/73/325 and A/73/L.36 (to be issued)

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4 December 2018

09:00 [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

High-level meeting to discuss the gaps and challenges of middle-income countries in the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

09:00

Opening segment

09:40

Interactive panel discussion 1 entitled "Successes and challenges in the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for middle-income countries"

12:00

Plenary segment

15:00

Interactive panel discussion 2 entitled "The role of South-South cooperation and Triangular cooperation in the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development"

16:45

Plenary segment

17:50

Closing segment

A high-level meeting held pursuant to General Assembly resolution 72/230 of 20 December 2017.

Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated as follows, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers: 20 July 2018, 27 September 2018, 2 November 2018 and 14 November 2018

The list of speakers of the plenary segment will be established in accordance with the practice of the General Assembly, subject to the availability of time.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of three minutes for statements by individual Member States and five minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

Document: A/RES/72/230

Contact: List of Speakers (galindo@un.org; 212-963-5307)

Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

29 November 2018

10:00	19th meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 3
Followed by – 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5

15:00 – 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5

Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal

Committee on Relations with the Host Country

5 December 2018

15:00 – 18:00 291st meeting (closed) Conference Room 11

Delegations of Member States and Observers that wish to attend as observers should indicate their desire to do so in advance to the Secretary of the Committee.

The meeting will not be open to members of the press or the public.

Delegations are reminded that while any matter pertinent to the work of the Committee may be raised from the floor, they are encouraged, in accordance with the decision of the Committee adopted at its meeting 164 in March 1994, to request the formal inscription, at least 48 hours prior to the meeting, of specific items they would like to raise, keeping in mind the detailed list of topics adopted by the Committee in 1982.

Delegations are further encouraged to submit to the Secretary of the Committee any relevant documentation or written statements in advance of the meeting.

At present, there are no items on the provisional agenda.

Document: A/50/26

Contact: Surya Sinha (sinha1@un.org, 917-367-4067)

Economic and Social Council

Session 2019

5 December 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Plenary meeting [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

Plenary meeting of the Council, to hold elections to fill regular and outstanding vacancies in its subsidiary bodies

A list of candidates for the election, as well as supporting documentation, can be consulted on Candiweb.

Documents: E/2019/9/Add.1 and E/2019/9/Add.2

Links: Candiweb and e-deleGATE Portal

Contact: ECOSOC Affairs Branch (DGACM) - Mary Constable (constablem@un.org)

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

11 and 12 December 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Informal consultations to discuss new applications (closed) Conference Room 12

15:00 – 18:00 Informal consultations to discuss new applications (closed) Conference Room 12

All members of the Committee are strongly encouraged to attend.

Participation in the informal consultations is open to members of the Committee only.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 71/323, material published under the sections below is available in *English* and *French only*.

Informal meetings

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Other meetings

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Wednesday, 28 November 2018

Global South-South Development Expo 2018 in Preparation for the Second High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation: High-level Opening Ceremony and Thematic Solution Forum 1-SSC in Poverty Eradication and Livelihood Recovery (A/RES/64/222) (organized by the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation)

09:00 - 11:30 Conference Room 1

Links: Registration, Programme, Website and Side Events

Contact: Shams Banihani (shams.banihani@undp.org)

Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (monthly meeting) (at the ambassadorial level)

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 8

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room D

13:15 - 14:30 Closed meeting Conference Room D

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 5

Global South-South Development Expo 2018 in Preparation for the Second High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation: Thematic Solution Forum 2- South-South and Triangular Cooperation in Promoting Decent Work and Thematic Solution Forum 3- Innovative Financing Mechanisms for South-South and Triangular Cooperation (A/RES/64/222) (organized by the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation)

11:50 - 15:10 Conference Room 1

Links: Registration, Programme, Website and Side Events

Contact: Shams Banihani (shams.banihani@undp.org)

Briefing to Member States on the findings of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD) report to the General Assembly (A/73/201) on the Economic costs of the Israeli Occupation for the Palestinian people (A/RES/69/20, A/RES/70/12 and A/RES/72/13) (organized by the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development)

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 9

Contact: Coumba Coulibaly (coulibalyc@un.org, 917-367-2976)

Event entitled "Mobilizing ICTs for Sustainable Development: A Multi-stakeholder approach" (A/RES/72/200) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Montenegro and the Republic of Rwanda, the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) and GSMA)

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 8

Link: Registration

Contact: Sharon London (london@un.org, 212- 963-6121)

Informal meeting with the civil society on the occasion of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People (A/RES/32/40) (organized by the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People)

15:00 - 18:00 Conference Room 8

Contact: Beverley Medas (medas@un.org; 212-963-8255)

Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting) (at the expert level)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 12

Global South-South Development Expo 2018 in Preparation for the Second High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation: Thematic Solution Forum 4- Youth Entrepreneurship for Sustainable Development through South-South Cooperation and Thematic Solution Forum 5-Promoting Sustainable Development through engaging youth and women in South-South Cooperation (A/RES/64/222) (organized by the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation)

15:20 - 18:20 Conference Room 1

Links: Registration, Programme, Website and Side Events

Contact: Shams Banihani (shams.banihani@undp.org)

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link below *www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp*.

Forthcoming informal meetings

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Forthcoming other meetings

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Global South-South Development Expo 2018 in Preparation for the Second High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation: Thematic Solution Forum 6 - South-South and Triangular Cooperation in Sustaining Peace and Promoting Inclusive Development and Thematic Solution Forum 7 - From Fragility to Resilience in rural settings: the role of South-South and Triangular Cooperation (A/RES/64/222) (organized by the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation)

29 November 2018

09:00 - 12:00 Conference Room 1

Links: Registration, Programme, Website and Side Events

Contact: Shams Banihani (shams.banihani@undp.org)

Global South-South Development Expo 2018 in Preparation for the Second High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation: Thematic Solution Forum 8 - Multi-Stakeholder Partnership: Emerging Roles of the Private Sector for an Inclusive and Sustainable South-South Cooperation (A/RES/64/222) (organized by the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation)

29 November 2018

13:30 - 15:00 Conference Room 1

Links: Registration, Programme, Website and Side Events

Contact: Shams Banihani (shams.banihani@undp.org)

Global South-South Development Expo 2018: Thematic Solution Forum 9 - South-South cooperation in promoting Green Growth and Sustainable Cities and Thematic Solution Forum 10 - Leveraging South-South and Triangular Cooperation to Deliver Health Outcomes (A/RES/64/222) (organized by the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation)

29 November 2018

15:00 - 18:00 Conference Room 1

Links: Registration, Programme, Website and Side Events

Contact: Shams Banihani (shams.banihani@undp.org)

Global South-South Development Expo 2018 in preparation for the Second High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation: Directors-General Forum - Towards BAPA+40 (A/RES/64/222) (organized by the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation)

30 November 2018

09:00 - 17:00 Conference Room 1

Links: Registration, Programme, Website and Side Events

Contact: Shams Banihani (shams.banihani@undp.org)

Workshop entitled "Music Education and Sustainable Development" (organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR)

30 November 2018

09:00 - 18:00 Conference Room E

Links: Registration

Contact: Pelayo Alvarez (pelayo.alvarez@unitar.org, 212-963-9196)

Panel discussion entitled "UN Peacekeeping Missions in Urban Environments: The Legacy of UNMIL" (A/RES/72/276) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Australia, New York University's Center on International Cooperation (CIC), and the Foundation for Achieving Seamless Territory (FAST))

30 November 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 7

Links: Registration

Contact: Virginia Tanchez (virginia.tanchez@dfat.gov.au)

African Group (briefing by the Secretary-General of the International Seabed Authority on draft regulations)

30 November

15:00 - 17:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 9

Global South-South Development Expo 2018 in preparation for the Second High-level United Nations Conference on South-South Cooperation: Closing Ceremony for Global South-South Development Expo (A/RES/64/222) (organized by the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation)

30 November 2018

17:00 - 18:00 Conference Room 1

Links: Registration, Programme, Website and Side Events

Contact: Shams Banihani (shams.banihani@undp.org)

Special event entitled "Empowering Persons with Disabilities and Ensuring Inclusiveness and Equality" on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (A/RES/47/3) (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), the Office of the President of the United Nations General Assembly, the Permanent Missions of Ecuador, the Republic of Korea, Brazil, Bulgaria, Italy, Philippines, the United Kingdom, Japan and Singapore, the International Telecommunication Union (ITU), UN-Women and the Department of Management of the United Nations)

3 December 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room 4

Link: More Info

Contact: Amine Lamrabat (lamrabat@un.org, 917-367-9456, 212-671-0279)

Special event entitled "The Role of Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) in Empowering Persons with Disabilities" on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (A/RES/47/3) (co-organized by the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) and the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

3 December 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 4

Link: More Info

Contact: Amine Lamrabat (lamrabat@un.org, 917-367-9456, 212-671-0279)

World Soil Day Celebration, entitled "Be the Solution to Soil Pollution" (A/RES/68/232) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Thailand and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)) and the secretariat of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD))

3 December 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 12

Link: More Info

Contact: Isabela Cunha (cunhai@un.org, 212-963-0990)

Special event entitled "Empowering Persons with Disabilities and Ensuring Inclusiveness and Equality" on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (A/RES/47/3) (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA); the Office of the President of the United Nations General Assembly; the Permanent Missions of Ecuador, the Republic of Korea, Brazil, Bulgaria, Italy, the Philippines, the United Kingdom, Japan and Singapore, the International Telecommunication Union (ITU), UN-Women and the Department of Management of the United Nations)

3 December 2018

15:00 - 18:00 Conference Room 4

Link: More Info

Contact: Amine Lamrabat (lamrabat@un.org, 917-367-9456, 212-671-0279)

Event entitled "The Universal Declaration of Human Rights at 70: Its Foundations, Achievements and Violations" (A/RES/217(III)) (co-organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See and ADF International)

4 December 2018

15:00 - 17:00 Conference Room 4

Links: Website, More Info and Registration

Contacts: Fr. Roger Landry (office@holyseemission.org, 212-370-7885)

High-Level Panel on the Launching of "The Girls in science 4 SDGs International Platform" (A/RES/70/212) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Portugal and the Royal Academy of Science International Trust (RASIT))

6 December 2018

15:00 - 17:00 Conference Room 11

Contact: Jorge Castelbranco (jorge.castelbranco@mne.pt, 212-759-9444)

Event entitled "Seventieth anniversary of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide and the International Day of Commemoration and Dignity of the Victims of the Crime of Genocide and of the Prevention of this Crime" (A/RES/69/323) (organized by the United Nations Office on Genocide Prevention and the Responsibility to Protect)

7 December 2018

11:00 - 12:30 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Link: Invitation

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